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(Based on GB 9616042.9)
Filed 31 July 1996)
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, Applicants submit herewith the executed Joint Declaration for the above-referenced United States patent application claiming priority to GB9616042.9 filed July 31, 1996. A copy of the Notice is also attached.

In addition, Applicants submit a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the costs of filing this document.

We know of no fees required for this filing, but should there be any unforeseen fees, please apply them to our Deposit Account 19-0733, and inform us by written notification.

Respectfully submitted,

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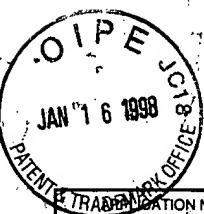
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. However, the items indicated below are missing: The required items and fees identified below must be timely submitted ALONG WITH THE PAYMENT OF A SURCHARGE for items 1 and 3-6 only of \$ 130 for a large entity small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27. The surcharge is set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required above to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a
 large entity small entity (verified statement filed), is \$ 130.

1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

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Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

3. The oath or declaration:

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An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

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5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

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6. A \$ _____ processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

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See attached "Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825."

9. OTHER:

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